



INVITATION for CHAU'MUN 2025

Charles de Gaulle High School in Chaumont hosted its inaugural Model of United Nations from April 10 to 12 2024. This first edition was a success featuring 2 committees (one in French and one in English), 75 delegates and representation from 7 foreign countries by one or more delegates (Czech Republic, Poland, Azerbaijan, Germany, Slovakia, Taiwan, Mexico).

The mayor of Chaumont (Mrs Guillemey) and the City Council are encouraging us to organize Chau'mun 2025. Chau'mun 2024 represented a significant moment of cooperation between the city of Chaumont and its authorities and Charles de Gaulle High School and its headmaster and students.

Chau'mun 2025 will take place from March 19 to 21 2025. We will welcome delegates on March 18, and the departure could be scheduled for March 22. **We can provide accommodations** for your students and their accompanying teachers with friendly host families. However, you are free to make alternative arrangements if you prefer.

Registration includes fees. In 2024, the fees were 100 € per student and accompanying teacher. These fees cover meals (including a gourmet French meal prepared by student chefs), coffee-break (pastries and drinks), the delegate kit (tote bags, goodies, notebooks, pens), transportation, as well as social activities (concert, visits, MUN party and a restaurant outing for accompanying teachers).

A delegation from a high school can consist of 6 to 8 students. The debate languages are English or French. Students can represent a country in pairs to help build their confidence, especially if they have never participated in a MUN before.

During a MUN, students develop a diverse set of skills: public speaking, developing leadership skills, building confidence, networking skills, developing argumentation skills, developing critical thinking skills, establishing a debate strategy to convince and finally developing analytical skills.

We try to select topics that are at the heart of a student's concerns. In 2024, the students debated the following issue

- “How is reducing inequalities of access to education for girls a great opportunity for development? » for the English committee, and
- « Which choices to make to promote a lifestyle that would allow us to have more responsible production and consumption? » for the French committee.

We will soon choose the topics for 2025, giving your students ample time to prepare. We will help the students to prepare position paper to provide some documentary resources.

We want to help you for all your questions, or organization difficulties.

Welcome to Chau'mun 2025!

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« C'était un honneur de tous vous rencontrer lors de Chaumun. Je me souviendrai toujours de tout ce qui s'est passé lors de ces trois jours ! »

Vickie, étudiante taïwanaise à

« Les étudiants ne peuvent s'arrêter de dire à quel point l'évènement était fantastique pendant le trajet du retour »

Matthew, professeur d'anglais d'un lycée de Katowice, Pologne.



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